(c) There was no transfer of charge as stated in the question.

'A' class licenses to hold markets.

477. Mr. A. Sankara Poduval.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the names of persons to whom A class licenses to hold markets were granted in 1108 M. E. in the several taluks of the State; and whether

(b) any markets are being now conducted by Government in any part of the State through its officers?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—(a) A list is appended. (*Appendix II*).

(b) No.

Nemmara—Thanniappankulam at Vallanghy.

478. Mr. K. G. Nayar.—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) whether the compound wall round the Thanniappankulam at Vallanghy is in a damaged condition;

(b) whether there are any instances of people having fallen into the tank within the last four months on account of such bad condition;

(c) whether such incidents resulted in the deaths of two people at Vallanghy;

(d) whether the Government consider it at least necessary to prevent such deaths by erecting proper walls around the tank?

Mr. P. V. Raphael.—(a) No. But the wall requires some repairs such as cement pointing, etc.

(b) Yes. But Government are not sure if the accidents were due to the bad condition of the walls.

(c) Government have no information.

(d) If funds permit, necessary provision will be made in 1109 for necessary repairs.

Vaduthala Chittur bridge.

479. Mr. M. A. Chakko.—Will the Government be pleased to state if the construction of Vaduthala—Chittur bridge, for which there has been repeated prayers by the people and promise by the Government, will be taken up and executed in the coming year 1109?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—The work will be taken up if funds permit.

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